



# Careers!



Throughout your life, you may have been asked something along the lines of “What do you want to be when your older?” Some of you might have had answers, others might still not know what career they want to pursue later in life. This article is supposed to put you onto the right path of having a successful career.

The Oxford dictionary definition of a job is a paid position of regular employment, or, in simpler terms, a job is a specific task you have to do for a company or occupation. The term job and career are NOT the same. Jobs are something you do for money, however, a career is more of a long term dream, like a main goal, something you try to work towards every day.

The career that you pick depends on what makes you happy, no one else should be able to tell you what career you should choose, no matter who they are.





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Luckily for you, we have exciting news! Whitgreave Primary School are planning to dedicate a whole day towards finding out who you want to be in the future! This day is supposed to hopefully influence you to a career you want to do and should be happening around June 2024 but more information should be given soon to inform you more about this.

Anyway, even though I can't tell you what career you should pursue, it's important to know what a realistic and unrealistic careers are. Unrealistic careers are mostly social media related (Youtuber, Tiktok, etc). Even though these are fine as a hobby, completely relying on the revenue from a social media account can be unreliable as people may lose interest in your content, meaning you lose all income you were making, which will make you unable to pay for other necessities such as food, water and clothes.

I hope this article has made you think more carefully about your future, and allowed you to have a more definite answer on what you want to be, so the next time someone asks you "Who do you want to be when you're older?" Hopefully, next time you will have an answer.

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